



April 3, 2015

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL No. 1509

DIGEST OF HB 1509 (Updated April 1, 2015 3:36 pm - DI 110)

Citations Affected: Noncode.

Synopsis: Study committee on obsolete statutes. Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the topic of reducing the size of the Indiana Code by identifying for repeal statutes that are: (1) obsolete; (2) superseded; (3) no longer applied; or (4) unnecessarily burdensome to the residents of Indiana when the burdens of compliance are compared to the governmental interests served by the statute.

Effective: July 1, 2015.

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(SENATE SPONSORS — HERSHMAN, KRUSE, RANDOLPH)

January 20, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures.

January 22, 2015, reassigned to the Select Committee on Government Reduction.

February 3, 2015, reported — Do Pass.

February 5, 2015, read second time, ordered engrossed. Engrossed.

February 9, 2015, read third time, passed. Yeas 94, nays 0.

SENATE ACTION

February 24, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy.

April 2, 2015, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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First Regular Session of the 119th General Assembly (2015)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2014 Regular Session and 2014 Second Regular Technical Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning general provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015] (a) **The legislative**
2 **council is urged to assign to an appropriate interim study**
3 **committee the topic of reducing the size of the Indiana Code by**
4 **identifying for repeal statutes that are:**
5 (1) **obsolete;**
6 (2) **superseded;**
7 (3) **no longer applied; or**
8 (4) **unnecessarily burdensome to the residents of Indiana**
9 **when the burdens of compliance are compared to the**
10 **governmental interests served by the statute.**
11 (b) **This SECTION expires January 1, 2016.**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Select Committee on Government Reduction, to which was referred House Bill 1509, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1509 as introduced.)

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Committee Vote: Yeas 12, Nays 0

COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Public Policy, to which was referred House Bill No. 1509, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is to HB 1509 as printed February 3, 2015.)

ALTING, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0

